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Mr. Chris Koster Attorney General of Missouri Supreme Court Building 207 W. High Street, P.O. Box 899 Jefferson, MO 65102

RE: Request Number EPA-R7-2014-007050

Dear Mr. Koster:

This is in response to your request for a fee waiver and expedited processing in connection with your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for records regarding transportation routes used to move soils.

We have reviewed your fee waiver justification and based on the information you provided, your request does not reach the minimum billable amount. Accordingly, there are no charges associated with processing your FOIA request. However, you have not demonstrated that the lack of expedited treatment could reasonably be expected to pose an imminent threat to the life or physical safety of an individual. Therefore, your request for expedited processing is denied. Your request will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

Under the FOIA, you have the right to appeal this determination to the National Freedom of Information Office, U.S. EPA, FOIA and Privacy Branch, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2822T), Washington, DC 20460 (U.S. Postal Service Only), E-mail: foia_hq@epa.gov. Only items mailed through the United States Postal Service may be delivered to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. If you are submitting your appeal via hand delivery, courier service or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room 6416J, Washington, DC 20004. Your appeal must be made in writing, and it must be submitted no later than 30 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 30 calendar day limit. The appeal letter should include the RIN listed above. For quickest possible handling, the appeal letter and its envelope should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Should you choose to appeal this determination, please be sure to fully address all factors required by EPA's FOIA Regulation, located at 40 C.F.R. § 2.107 (1) in your appeal. If you have any questions concerning this determination, please contact me at (202) 566-1667.

Larry F. Gottesman National FOIA Officer